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CHURCHILL BACKS SCHUMAN PLAN: BONN'S APPROVAL

London, May 16.—Mr Winston Churchill, as Chairman of the United Europe Movement, today warmly welcomed the Schuman Plan for merging the European coal and steel industries.

A statement issued by the Movement, on Mr Churchill's authority, called on the British Government to announce immediately that it is prepared to play its full part with other European Governments in working out methods for a practical implementation of M. Schuman's proposals.

Dulles Urges New Tactics

New York, May 16.—Mr John Foster Dulles, special United States State Department adviser, tonight called for the establishment of a high-level American planning staff and a supreme Allied military command to counter Soviet moves in the "cold war."

In a speech here he declared that although during the war "the true nature of Soviet Communism was obscured," the United States had now recognized "the evil" and was trying to deal with it.

The Republican foreign affairs expert was speaking at an anniversary dinner of International House, New York residential and social centre for foreign students, under the Presidency of General George Marshall, former Secretary of State.

"We have little effective co-ordination with our Allies," he asserted.

"It is painfully difficult to get unified action that is timely," he added.

THE COLD WAR

London, May 16.—A British Foreign Office spokesman today described as "completely meaningless" a Soviet decision to cut reparations from Eastern Germany by 50 percent.

The spokesman pointed out that, as no total of reparations due to Russia from Germany had ever been fixed, the Soviet decision was completely arbitrary.—Reuter.

Royal Family Visit Hongkong Stand at BIF



The King and Queen inspecting the display at the Hongkong stand at the British Industries Fair. Mr C. Blaker is talking to His Majesty and Mr E. Grimwood is explaining an exhibit to the Queen. (London Express Service).

Soviets Hotting Up Feud With Tito

SHARP BELGRADE SPEECHES

Belgrade, May 16.—Mr Vladimir Dudijer, Secretary of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Yugoslav National Assembly, spoke today of renewed Soviet troop movements this Spring near the Yugoslav frontier.

Addressing the Committee, Mr Dudijer said that these movements had followed recent anti-Yugoslav speeches by the Soviet Marshals Voroshilov and Buzanin in Budapest and Prague.

He described the troop movements as of a "war-mongering and suspicious character."

"They included the building of pontoon bridges by Soviet troops over the Danube between Rumania and Bulgaria, the speeding up of the building of a military airport by the Russians in Timisoara in Rumania."

Also, during May 4 and 5 tanks had been exhibited in the streets of Sofia and anti-Yugoslav slogans were being circulated among the Bulgarian Army.

"When we compare these movements with the Russian campaign for peace—and we can see them holding olive branches to the West—it is clear that they consider they can do here whatever they want."

Mr Dudijer was followed by another member of the Committee who suggested that these matters should be brought before an "international body."

LIMITED PATIENCE

A sub-committee of four was elected to consider the subject.

The Foreign Minister, Edvard Kardelj, then took the floor, declaring that there was a limited Yugoslav patience. They would continue to fight for normal diplomatic relations but they were not willing to stand endless provocation and would consider taking other measures.—Reuter.

Still Ready For Punishment

Adelaide, Australia, May 16.—Albert Ernest Edwards at 90 is taking the matrimonial plunge for the sixth time.

Straight-backed, clear-eyed Edwards, married five times before says: "I have been batching too long. I need someone to look after me."

Edwards never went to school. A 10 he left home and joined a circus. He still likes to dance and play the accordion, and reads without glasses.—United Press.

East Germany Follows The Moscow Line

Berlin, May 16.—The Politbureau of the East German Socialist Unity Party (SED) tonight described the decisions of the London conference of Foreign Ministers as "a blow in the face of the German people."

"This latest conspiracy against Germany means that the Imperialist Western Powers have agreed to continue with renewed vigour their policy of colonial enslavement of the Germans," a Politbureau statement said.

"By admitting West Germany into the Council of Europe, the United States, Britain and France hope to create another willing tool for their war policy," the statement asserted.—Reuter.

Russia Walks Out Of Bangkok Conference

Bangkok, May 16.—Soviet Russia today walked out of the Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East—the 26th United Nations body she has left this year—in protest against the Chinese Nationalist representation.

The Soviet delegation declared its unwillingness to take part in ECAFE proceedings, when the Conference at its opening session approved a Thai proposal that the whole question of China's representation remain for a higher United Nations authority, such as the General Assembly, to decide.

Eight nations backing the Thai proposal were the United States, France, the Philippines, China, Thailand, Australia, New Zealand and Holland. Three—Russia, Burma and India—opposed, while two—Britain and Pakistan—abstained.—Reuter.

Two Killed In Village Landslide

A man and a woman were killed at 3 a.m. this morning as a result of landslide which fell on their hut at the Tung Tau Village.

Approximately 20 tons of mud fell on their hut from the hill behind.

In Revolt Against Prague Crimes

Lake Success, May 16.—The Czechoslovak permanent delegate to the United Nations resigned today in protest against the present regime in his country.

In a letter to Mr Byron Price, Acting Secretary-General, the delegate, Dr Vladimir Houdek, said, "The recent events in Czechoslovakia force me as the permanent representative of the Czechoslovak Republic to the United Nations to subject my relations to the Government to a thorough and fundamental examination."

"These events show that a few individuals installed in a Rukosovsky way in the top positions mechanically apply methods which are in flagrant contradiction to our best traditions. Czechoslovakia thus ceases to exist as an independent State. In protest to this development I am submitting my resignation from the post of permanent representative of Czechoslovakia to the United Nations."

In a further statement, Dr Houdek said that he had decided to resign only 48 hours ago, as a result of "information received from Prague."

He denied emphatically that he had ever been "an agent of the Western Powers" as he expected to be called by Prague.

Dr Houdek declared, "By submitting my resignation I wish to protest most categorically before the whole world against the methods which are being applied in Eastern European countries contrary to the interests of their population under the pressure—I regret to state—of the Soviet Union."

Dr Houdek was due to leave here for Prague tomorrow after being recalled by his Government, it was learned here.

He was known here as a "Clementis man" that is, he was believed to share the views of Dr Vladimir Clementis, Czechoslovak Foreign Minister whose resignation was announced in March by Premier Anton Zapotocky.—Reuter.

Blanket Of Silence Is Hastily Thrown Over Atlantic Pact Discussions

ACHESON PLAN FOR "SUPERMAN" CHIEF

London, May 16.—An attempt to associate Spain with the Atlantic Pact is likely to be made during the current conference here of the 12 Treaty Powers, some delegation circles predicted tonight.

As the Foreign Ministers met for the second day of momentous defence and economy talks, these sources forecast that Portugal would plead her neighbour's cause.

The Portuguese delegation and Embassy here have so far declined to comment. But it was recalled that in March, 1948, at a meeting of O.E.E.C. Ministers, Dr Caetano da Matta, Portuguese Foreign Minister who is here for the Atlantic Pact talks, asked that Spain should be associated with the work of the O.E.E.C. in European recovery.

On that occasion the conference broke up without commenting one way or another on the Portuguese suggestion.

The British Labour Government has consistently opposed the idea of admitting Spain to closer contact with the Western Powers in face of arguments here and in America that her strategic position in Europe warrants it.

Today's meeting of the Foreign Ministers did not begin until well on in the afternoon.

PRIVATE TALKS

The morning was spent in committee work. But outside Atlantic Pact negotiations there was a flurry of diplomatic activity.

Britain's Prime Minister, Mr Clement Attlee, with his own Foreign Secretary, Mr Ernest Bevin, met the United States Secretary of State, Mr Dean Acheson, and Mr Lester Pearson, Canada's Minister of External Affairs, for a private talk.

Observers believe that they discussed the exchange of atomic information mainly.

Meanwhile, the French Foreign Minister, Mr Robert Schuman, with his economic planner, M. Jean Monnet, met the Foreign Ministers of Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg to give them further details of the plan for merging European heavy industries.

A usually reliable source said today that plans for a super-Atlantic Union organisation—with a civilian at the head—were placed before the Foreign Ministers when they met in the afternoon.

The proposal, contained in reports from committees, would cover defence and economics.

The initiative for the new plan is believed to come from the Americans.

It fits in with their policy to introduce a new sense of urgency into the union of the United States, Canada and Western Europe for self-protection against the East.

NO DECISIONS

No decisions on the new plan were taken today, observers believed tonight.

When the four-hour session of the conference ended, a blanket of silence was hastily thrown over the proceedings.

Observers concluded that this was intended to cover the general decision with which the American proposals were greeted.

The only comment on the day's session was the following communiqué, "The North Atlantic Treaty met again this afternoon at Lancaster House. The Foreign Ministers considered reports from the Defence, Financial and Economic Committees. Discussions of these reports and the action to be taken in regard to them will be continued tomorrow morning."

The American view that a civilian should play the No. 1 role in an overall command for the Atlantic organisation is opposed to recent speculation suggesting that a military commander such as General Omar Bradley would be appointed.

The choice of a civilian "superman" would be dictated by the vital role economics and politics must play in the Atlantic structure, observers consider.

The new American plans were presented to the full Council for the first time this afternoon.

The few hours available for discussion today were obviously too little for final views to be given.

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De Facto Peace Strengthened

Jerusalem, May 16.—The de facto peace between Israel and Jordan was strengthened on Tuesday by an agreement to establish mixed patrols along the southern part of the frontier.

The decision to guard the border against marauding bands was taken at a Mixed Armistice Commission meeting in the presence of United Nations officials. Jordan also agreed to repatriate three Jewish soldiers captured in a border incident several weeks ago.—United Press.

TRYGVE LIE PURSUES MISSION

Moscow, May 16.—Mr Trygve Lie, the Secretary General of the United Nations, who has seen Generalissimo Stalin and other Soviet leaders while in Moscow on his East-West "peace mission," will have further talks here, he indicated today.

Approached by reporters while lunching at the National Hotel today, he suggested that his talks would probably conclude before Friday. He would not comment on his interview last night with Generalissimo Stalin and M. Vyacheslav Molotov, the Soviet Deputy Prime Minister.

Mr Lie, who has declared that one of his aims is to solve the problem of the "empty seats" in the United Nations caused by the deadlock over Chinese representation, today saw the Chinese Ambassador here, Mr Wang Chia-hsing.

Foreign observers naturally linked Wang's visit to Hotel National with Lie's proposal to terminate the deadlock in the Security Council by admission of the Peking representatives.

As a result of Lie's discussion with Stalin and other Soviet leaders he now knows precisely the Soviet standpoint and whether practicable compromises can be worked out.—Reuter and United Press.

EDITORIAL

Those Water Restrictions

THOSE who have, over the last two week-ends, ventured into the sports fields, or looked bleakly out eventually accepting their inability to play, will most probably have examined the Water Authority's modification of supply restrictions with a morbid eye, wondering why the system cannot be fully restored. There has, indeed, been plentiful rain recently, generally at the least convenient time. Figures show the Colony to be fortunate, the rainfall being well up to average after a slow, disturbing, start. Even so, the utmost conservatism among those responsible for gauging our reservoir resources, and the Colony's capacity for entering to public needs, is more than justified. It is still essential. If the storage volume has improved noticeably as compared with the situation a month ago, it remains at a point far short of that which would permit Mr Forbes to sit back in quiet satisfaction knowing the worry stage to be over for at least another six months. In these days of gross over-population, the continuing expansion of industrial activity bearing heavily on our domestic water supplies, and the wasteful tendencies of far too many people, there can be no taking risks, or policy of hoping for the best. Until the reservoirs are full, restrictions of sorts should continue. Agreement on that point does not, however, imply entire approval of the official methods. Domestic consumers find cause for quarrel with the revision of the hours of restriction, arguing that they personally are worse off than before, mildly but factually. Up to the week-end, the hours of supply were ten and a half daily, divided into periods of seven hours in the

morning and three and a half in the evening, closing at 9 p.m. The increase authorised provides for an unbroken period of 14 hours, from 6.30 a.m. to 8.30 p.m. Householders challenge these times as conferring not the slightest benefit on them. On the contrary, the closure half an hour earlier than before has definitely a nuisance value. An apparently minor matter, such as cleaning up the dinner dishes, in normal fashion, was possible last week. Today, it is not, and when it must be assumed that the Water Authority's purpose was to extend facilities, this phase seems rather maladroit. With this in mind, it might be worth while to enquire whether there is some explanation. It cannot be that the principal objective is to cater for industrial enterprises to the detriment of the flat-dweller. It could be, of course, actuated by a desire to save labour among the Water Authority's staff, the absence of the need to cut off the mains in the middle of the day achieving that. In the last analysis, were that correct, it would be the worst of reasons. The fundamental task of the waterworks is to serve the public as well as the supply situation permits, and it must be agreed that their record in this respect has been excellent. Indeed, perhaps all that is necessary is re-consideration. The public would prefer two periods of supply each day, the second being spread from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. Consumption would not appreciably increase, even with a gratifying opportunity for an evening bath, because wasteful private storage would be reduced if not entirely eliminated. On the surface, it appears a small point, but we can guarantee the public's thanks.

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WOMANSENSE

WHAT, NO FRILLS?

London gets a preview of the
Ascot frocks. Out go the trim-
mings... and in come the cottonsTRADITIONAL frills and furbelows will be
absent from Ascot this year. Verdict
of fashion critics was that Ascot week, 1949,
was "the dowdiest ever"—because it tried to
return to pre-war exaggerated fashions.First showings of Ascot 1950 dresses in Lon-
don recently feature plique in nearly every colour
and smart little suits of tulle and the silk.
Simplicity is the keynote.For the young girl there are dresses in drawn
thread organza, with full skirts and detachable
sleevers, jackets, plus accented-pleated bertha
collars, and two-piece in navy organdie trimmed
with white lace.

Black and white

Pleats and tucks—both favourites from Paris
—are introduced in many models, and one particu-
larly smart outfit featured a full black and white
check tulle coat over a white silk jersey dress
with accented-pleated skirt.Simple washing cottons will be worn if the
weather is hot enough. Broderie Anglaise, in
black, dark green and cinnamon, is lined with dull
gold tulle.1950—Tailored suit in navy and white
reversible woven tulle, by Ann Ashworth. Broderie
Anglaise boater is trimmed with black ribbon.TWO WAMS
IN BLUETWO Southern Rhodesian
Army girls arrived recently
in London wearing the new
blue uniform and beret of their
service. Their luggage included
khaki suits and slouch hats
for rougher duty.Colour-sergeant Gladys Peetz
and Sergeant Joan Laidlaw will
combine duty with their holi-
day in England. For part of
the time they will compare
their own service with the
WRAC's in the training centre
at Guildford.But the work they expect to
enjoy most is as unofficial re-
cruiting sergeants.

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Official title of their force
is Southern Rhodesia Women's
Military and Air Service. The
girls call it the WAMS.
Pay for a sergeant begins at
£240 a year, rises to £280.
There is also a cost-of-living
allowance which, for privates,
is £3 10s. to £4 13s. 4d. a
month, more for NCOs.Colour-sergeant Peetz gets
£20 a year more than her
sergeant friend.

(London Express Service)

Bracelet In
High StylePARIS
BRACELETS to be worn above
the elbow are being made
by Madame Grippoix, for the
Haute Couture, in enamel
beads and baroque pearls in
soft pastel shades. Others are
long and meant to be rolled
around the arm, though there
is also a series of "cuff" brace-
lets.Her couture clients, says Ma-
dame Grippoix, are asking for
sautiers as long as 78 inches
which the mannequins will
wear in different ways. Some
roll them around the neck with
a long dangle, sometimes
finished by a bunch of grapes;
at another house, they are slung
across one shoulder and reach
the waist on the opposite side
like a decoration. These neck-
laces are made of mixtures of
pearls, black beads, rhinestone
rings, and coloured beads.
Madame Grippoix says there's a
demand for blue, especially in
lapis lazuli and turquoise. The
latter is also mixed with coral
or "quartz" pink. Other neck-
laces feature rhinestone beads
in gold metal, worked with pearls,
of Italian Renaissance inspira-
tion.

Scoop

SCOOPED NECKLINES for
warm weather comfort, and
puffed sleeves, either short, or
full length and billowy are
suggestions. Floating collars
which frame the shoulders are an
attractive treatment on sheers.
Many reflections of the little
boy look are found in negligees,
but always softened with fullness
at the sleeves or shirring at the
bodice.1939—Full-length skirt and
frills made this one of the elegant
frocks of the year.

Eileen Ascroft

FABRICS OF
THE MOMENTCARBONINE is still the most
important spring suit fabric.
Gabardine news in the fancy
dobby weaves, Sharkskins and
birdseye fabrics are also used
in suits.PRINT ENTHUSIASMS in-
clude: The all-neutral schemes
the massed prints, easy to
cut because of the all-over
pattern flow... bayadere or
banded prints... the scattered
blossom prints.TAFETTA, still high on the
list, most spring-like in darts
with white touches or in plaids
and neat checks.GEORGETTES, PRINTED
CHIFFON, SILK ORGANDIES,
both plain and print, are out-
standing sheers.Special Tips For
Sewing Nylon

By ELEANOR ROSS

THE whirr of the sewing ma-
chine sounds through the
home as women make their
clothes, in some cases the whole
wardrobe, from suits to loung-
ing robe.Nylon fabrics, especially, re-
quire the proverbial hot cake,
but back come the complaints
blaming the wonderful fabric
for its failure to perform pro-
perly. But it isn't fabric, it is
the sewer's handling of it that
is at fault. There are tricks
to every trade and there are
several for handling nylon, no
matter the weave or weight.then adjust upper tension and
lower, or bobbin tension ap-
propriately.
Sheer nylon should be sewed
moderately slowly to prevent
that dreaded puckering. Sewing
the heavier weights such as
tulle and satin is not so
difficult. But whichever the type
make sure the material runs
through evenly and easily,
without strain from back or
front. Since a puckered seam
cannot be pressed smooth, it
will be necessary to rip it open
and start all over again. And
use sharp scissors, not the ma-
chine cutting attachment, when
clipping threads.

Nylon Thread

First of all, nylon thread is
a "must." Next is sewing ma-
chine adjustment, followed by
a fine machine needle. And
light pressure and light tensions
are essentials, too. Thread the
machine in case pressure, in
winding bobbin take care that
thread winds evenly and
smoothly, and not tightly, the
latter being most important.
Now test stitch (9 to 12 stitches
per inch is the best gauge) on
a scrap of the material. If the
nylon scraps left over from cut-
ting. If stitch is not even
and smooth on both upper and
under sides of the material,

Reinforce Seams

To reinforce seams, double
stitching (about 14 inch apart)
is the easiest method. Pinking
handles the fraying problem on
heavier weaves, but French
seams are best and simplest
for fine lingerie and for blouses.
They should be sewed with
14 inch depth. As for putters,
it is best to bypass those with
straight skirt seams or with
cross yokes. This is because
a seam cut precisely on the
warp and woof of the material
will pucker more than seams
cut on the bias. Then go for
all types of nylon from tulle
to triest.WHEN GETTING A
BABY'S LAYETTE

By GARRY CLEVELAND MYERS, Ph.D.

THE United States Children's
Bureau says the average
baby needs the following layette
for about the first six months
of its life: diapers, 3 to 4 dozen;
shirts (long or short sleeves ac-
cording to climate), 3 or 4; ab-
dominal bands, 3; nightgowns
or wrappers, 5 or 6; sweaters, 2;
flannel squares or baby blankets,
2 or 3; warm hood (if climate
is cold), 1.These requirements appear in
"Infant Care," Children's Bureau,
United States Department of
Labour, Washington, D. C.,
which is free to expectant
parents. This bulletin adds to
the above: "Other garments, such
as dresses, additional sweaters,
and a bunting or other wrap for
cold weather, may be good to
have but are not essential. It
is better to have plenty of
diapers, shirts, and nightgowns
so that the baby can always
have plenty of clean ones."
Some doctors prefer to use
sterile gauze as a band.But there's more than
material preparedness for thebaby—there is your physical
and emotional health and hap-
piness.

Selecting Garments

Now back to clothes for this
new baby. Thompson and Ren,
in their comprehensive volume
"Clothing for Children," offer
standards for selecting garments
for the expected baby. Here
they are in essence:
The materials should be soft,
pliable, absorbent, durable,
easily laundered and rarely or
never requiring ironing. The
clothing should be light in
weight but warm enough to
keep the infant's body at the
normal temperature of 98.6 de-
grees, with materials and con-
struction affording ventilation.

Requisites

The design of the garments
should render them easy to put
on and remove; if to be home-
made, easy to make. The gar-
ment should allow freedom of
movement, be comfortable, with
flat seams and easy, simple
fastenings. It should be at-
tractive but without hampering
trimmings.The garment should be safe.
Don't therefore, have a draw-
string in the neck of the infant's
garment, lest it get too tight and
strangle him. Avoid ribbons
for the same reason. Fuzzy
yarns and fur, such as Angora,
are bad; the hairs and fibres pull
out easily and may get into the
baby's eyes, nose and throat.

Safety First

Safety pins and buttons can
be very dangerous. An open
safety pin left carelessly about
may be swallowed or may
scratch the baby's skin and
cause infection. When necessary
to use safety pins as on diapers,
be sure no loose pin is within
the infant's reach. Buttons
can be broken or left loose from
laundry, and thus scratch the
baby's skin or be swallowed.
Such dangers are reduced some-
what by the use of hard rubber
buttons on underclothing and
nightgowns. Be sure that all
buttons when sewed are sewed
on securely.GADGET
By JOAN DALEA new super-strong egg-
beater, with eight stainless
steel wings and die-cast
gears. The spade type
handle is easy to grip.

(London Express Service)

It's Time to Change Make-Up

Feel like changing your powder shade? Here's a good rule to
keep in mind: Powder should be the same shade as your skin, or
a little darker if you like.

By HELEN FOLLETT

SOME day you may decide
change your complexion
secretary. Some old powder,
same old rouge compact, same
old lipstick. Away with them!
You're all for a transformation
act. Good enough. It is pos-
sible that a new girl will smile
at you from the mirror, and
all will be nice!Three items of make-up
must be considered in their
relation to each other as well as
your skin. If golden tints are
suitable they should appear in
lipstick, powder and rouge.
And they are what you want
when the bloom and summer
sunbursts upon you. In
cold weather, warmer tones are
better.Powder should be the same
shade as your skin or slightly
darker. Rouge should be the
colour of the natural tint in
your cheeks. You can produce
it by pinching the flesh until
the blood flows under the skin
and shows through. Lip veneer
should be darker than the toneof your lips. Some misguided
young ladies are still using
vivid shades; they haven't
found out that beauty laws
forbid the fire-wagon pigment
at the present time. We're
through with that. At the mo-
ment, the "natural" look rates
high.If you find it difficult to find
a powder that is a good match
you can buy several boxes,
one light, one medium, one
dark, and by mixing you may
produce a perfect honey of a
complexion calcimine.Put a teaspoonful of one on
a large sheet of paper, add a
teaspoonful of the other, then
fold and refold the paper until
they are bleached.Home mixing is a happy idea
in the spring and summer sea-
son. As you take on the
golden glow of tan you can
make your powder a bit darker.
When autumn comes and your
tan departs, you can add more
of the light powder. It's fun
and you'll always be sure the
shade is right.Let's Eat
BY
DA BAILEY ALLEN

Two Popular Chinese Dishes

A knowledge of food values
and the alternatives, together
with patient shopping for the
best food buys, will enable al-
most any home-maker to feed
her family well at a cost that
can be afforded."But the lady will have to
spend more time cooking," in-
terjected the Chef. "She cannot
feed the family steaks, roasts
and chops, expensive fish and
delicate-seen foods. It will be
necessary for her to learn how
to make the good meat ragouts
and casseroles, the fine
fish stews and escallops, the
curries, and interesting meat or
fish pies. She will have to cook
fresh vegetables in their season,
and learn to use more cooked
cereals, dried beans. She
will have to supplement butter
with margarine, and render
every bit of fat from the meat.
She must form the habit of
using all the kinds of milk to
keep down the milk bill.""That's exactly what most
home-makers don't do," the
remarked. "For instance, milk
contributes just as much nutri-
tion, whether it's taken as a
beverage, or used on cereal, or
in preparing foods like white
sauce, cream soups, or custards.
So fresh fluid milk can be
bought for drinking; and evapo-
rated milk, at about half the
price, diluted with an equal
quantity of water, can be used
in cooking. In case of strict
economy use it on cereals and
for drinking."

Three Kinds of Milk

"Dry skim milk, which costs
even less, can be used in cook-
ing, if it is supplemented with
a little extra fat. In other
words, three kinds of milk,
fresh, evaporated and dry skim
milk, belong in the kitchen of
every homemaker operating on a
close food-budget. Used in-
telligently, this one idea will
effect considerable saving and
at the same time help to keep
up the standard of nutrition."
The right use of fresh vegeta-
bles is also a great help," re-
marked the Chef. "The Chinese
use inexpensive vegetables in
combination with meat or fish
to make them go more far. For
example, their won-ton soup,
with the dumplings filled with
a little meat or fish and served
in a quick vegetable soup.""And egg fu-yung is another
good example," I remarked.
"Let's include them both in to-
day's menu."

Dinner

Won-ton Soup
Egg Fu-Yung
Fatty Rice
Chilled Pineapple Cubes
Coffee or Tea Milk (Children)
All Measurements Are Exact
Recipes Serve Four

Won-ton Soup

This consists of two parts.
Won-ton which are Chinese
dumplings, and a quick Chinese
soup.Won-ton: Sift together 1 1/2 c.
flour and 1/2 tsp. salt. Beat and
add 1 egg. Mix in 2 tsp. cold
water. Turn onto a floured
board and knead until soft, as
when making noodle or Strudel
dough. Let stand 15 min. Then
roll as thin as paper and cut
in 3 in. squares. These are
then ready for the filling. To
make this, measure 1 c. minced
cooked pork, or shrimp, or beef
or poultry. Add salt and pepper
to taste, 1/2 tsp. minced scallion
or onion, and 2 tsp. minced
mushrooms if desired. Put 1
tsp. in the centre of a square
of dough. Fold over diagonally
to make a triangle. Press the
edges together with a fork.
Then, boil 15 min. in salted
water, or unflavored meat,
chicken or vegetable soup.Chinese Soup: In a 3-pt.
sauce pan put 4 c. chicken
broth or use 4 c. boiling water
with 2 beef bouillon cubes and
2 chicken bouillon cubes. Add
1/3 c. fine-diced celery, boil 5
min. Then add 1 c. fine-
shredded spinach or any other
mild flavoured green, and 1/2 c.
fine-diced cooked chicken if
desired. Boil 2 min. Place 3
tsp. in each soup bowl.
Pour over the boiling soup. Fill
the won-ton with shrimp, and
garnish the soup with a little
hard-cooked egg.

Egg Fu-Yung

Cut 1 scallion or an onion and
1/2 bunch celery across into thin
shreds about 1/2 in. long. Wash
2 oz. pea sprouts, or use tinned
bean sprouts. Heat 1 1/2 tsp.
lard or cooking oil in a skillet.
Add 1/2 lb. shredded raw chick-
en, veal or chopped fish, and
stir 1 min. Then add the
celery and vegetables and stir 1
min. more. Add 1 tsp. soy
sauce and 1 tsp. sugar, and cook
at high heat 1 min. longer. Then
remove, into the same skillet
measure 1 additional tsp. lard
or cooking oil. When warm,
pour in 4 eggs beaten light with
1/2 tsp. salt. Do not stir; lift
around the edges occasionally to
make sure it does not burn.
When the eggs are half set, put
in the meat and vegetable mix-
ture, well drained, from the
juice. Fold over like an omelette,
and cook each side about 1 min.
Serve on a very hot platter. If
gravy is desired, make it from
the juice of the meat and vegeta-
bles. There should be about
1/2 cupful. To it add 1/2 tsp.
cornstarch, mixed with 1/2 tsp.
cold water. Cook and stir until
translucent and pour over.
Serve at once.Seen at Noel Coward's cocktail party and worn by Valer-
io Hobson, is this Catherine Wheel hat in black lacquered
string. She also wore a black tulle cocktail gown em-
brodered with jet beads, five-row pearl necklace, and dia-
mond earrings.

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THE KING CHOSE A LOVE SONG FOR HIS WEDDING

BANGKOK.

If I were to add to this despatch "from Wonderland" I would have a king's authority for it — the authority of a 22-year-old ruler, born in Brooklyn, brought up in Switzerland, promoted to the throne of Siam by the assassination of his brother, and now a young man in love, married to a 17-year-old princess.

This city of coups, opium, politics, and 500 temples, where gold and coloured, porcelain spires shimmer against a blazing tropic sky, and each hot breath of wind stirs thousands of gold-tongued little temple bells, is a fantasy enough at any time.

But to King Phumiphon (pronounced Poom-ee-pon) in Bangkok so far is 91 miles an hour. Head, King Phumiphon in Bangkok so far is 91 miles an hour. But there is a sadly darker side to this wonderland idyll. The king's doctors say that the effects of concussion and damage to his left eye caused by a car smash in Switzerland 18 months ago, will take another two to three years to clear up.

It is Bangkok's own song hit today. In all the city's palatial cosmopolitan nightclubs, you can dance to the royal number nearly all of any night. In fact, if you want to at all, you have to while the crooners whisper huskily this royal lyric: "In the kingdom of my dreams, You are my queen. Please don't let me just dream, Please make my dreams come true — In Wonderland." If you do not dance to this one — well, there are five other royal song-hits on every dance programme from "Blue Day" to "Rainfall." All of them are filed in the Fine Arts Department of Bangkok's National Museum.

Dowry-eyed

THIS sort of thing is catching, especially in Bangkok during the smouldering royal month of Taurus, with the astrologers and casters of horoscopes working heavy overtime to prove that the stars are auspicious for marriage.

It is no wonder that Bangkok's younger set, from remote royal princesses to shop girls no less lovely, is dithering in a rather dewy-eyed daze. No one is doing much work, and no perceptible coup of any impor-

tance is visible on the horizon. Bangkok has its daily glimpse of the royal groom, too, escaping from his buzzing swarms of court officials, Buddhist patriarchs, and historical protocol experts in a flashy red 3½-litre sports coupe.

Speed king

ALWAYS behind him is an earnest squad of frantic police, desperately trying to keep their top speed clocked by His Majesty Great God on My



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The doctors slashed the elaborate traditional ceremonies of the marriage and the coronation by more than half.

No Elephant

HUNDREDS of royal bargesmen rehearsed in vain the delicate navigation of Bangkok's teeming canals by the Tiger Barges, the Monkey Barges of the Line, Great Drum Barges, the Barges of Trumpets and Conches, and the Gold Royal Barges of the Line.

The king, who crowned required at the Grand Palace ceremony. The royal regalia were not carried in procession. The king, who was to crown himself, was only allowed by his doctors to wear his 18-inch high 12-lb. gold and diamond-

studded crown for a few minutes instead of for the usual two hours of the ceremonies.

Foreign ambassadors and a few senior diplomats and their wives were invited to reception after the two ceremonies.

Phumiphon and Sirikit, in national costumes, the bride's of blue and gold brocade, knelt before the king's 88-year-old grandmother, Queen Sawang Vadhana, in her private palace.

From a conch shell she sprinkled holy water, blessed in 16 couples, on their heads, and with her finger dabbed three dots of perfumed sandalwood paste on their foreheads.

They both signed the register, presented their exclusively royal guests with a silver cigarette case each — and that was all. Next day they left to spend a three-day honeymoon at the king's palace on the Gulf of Siam, the Klai Kangwong — the "Far from Worries Palace." It is not even on the phone to Bangkok.

Mind you, this lack of royal demonstration did not stop Bangkok having a very royal two weeks of celebration.

But Siam's 18,000,000 enthusiastic monarchists are due for a sad, perhaps even a serious, discovery almost before the effect of those illuminations wears off.

The news has not yet been published to the Siamese, but even while the final formalities of the coronation and the wedding plans were being mapped, the royal household was receiving a package in a French liner from Singapore to Europe about the end of May.

Within three weeks from the day when he crowned himself and gave his first order from the Octagonal Figwood Throne, beneath the Royal Nine-Tiered Slave Umbrella — "Trust me and be at ease" — the king and his young queen, his piano with its electric organ attachment, his saxophone and his red roadster will all be on their way back to Switzerland.

'Lord of war'

WHEN he goes back to a land where he can enjoy his favourite sports of skiing and ice-skating — and he will go, of course, on his doctors' re-

commendation — young King Phumiphon will leave behind him a Prime Minister who has defeated three attempted coups in the last two years. Moreover, he has been the winner of the only two successful coups in the past 18 years.

His name is Phibun Songkram, which means "Lord of War." In the past fortnight he has obtained from the king royal decrees which are in fact blank cheques for power greater than he has ever held.

FOOTNOTE: I am filling this despatch from Bangkok's painful modern post-office by candlelight because the power has failed again.

Gold leaf and porcelain supplies for the renovation of temples are illimitable, but say the Siamese with gracious charm Bangkok's war-damaged, weary power-station will not be repaired before 1952.

Sydney Smith

(London Express Service)

Sitting on the Fence....by

NATHANIEL GUBBINS

La Belle Dame Sans Output

"In the Soviet Union there is no mystical or obscure treatment of love, such as decadent cosmopolitan poets use. We sing of how a young man falls in love with a girl because of her big industrial output." — Soviet poet Stephan Petrovich.

(After John Keats).

O what can all thee, factory hand, Alone and palely loitering? The never-ending belt is still And no wheels sing.

O what can all thee, factory hand, So haggard and so woe-begone? The quota's met, the shelves are full, And the foreman's gone.

I met a lady in the shop, Not beautiful — a peasant's child. Her hair was cropped, her cheeks were smudged, And her eyes were wild.

I made a garland for her head Of nuts and bolts and shavings, too.

And presently her small voice said: "I love thee true." I set her on my motor-bike, And through the woods drove all day long. And sideways she would lean and sing. A factory song.

She found me roots of relish sweet, And sandwiches her mother made, And through her trembling lips said: "I Can't make the grade."

She took me to her elin grot, And told me as she wept full sore, "Six boilers some girls made last year, But I made four."

And there she whispered me asleep, And there I dreamed — Ah! Woebetide, A girl who can't make boilers six Can't be a bride.

And there I saw pale commiserations Who cried "No use to make a fuss." Who cried "La Belle Dame Must come with us."

And this is why I sojourn here, Alone and palely loitering: Though never-ending belts are still And no wheels sing.

Cold war

"On April 25, when several degrees of frost were registered in Britain, the temperature in Moscow was over 70 degrees." — From the News.

FOR the information of Sir Waldron Smithers this is only the first indication of a gigantic Russian plot to transfer their weather over to Britain.

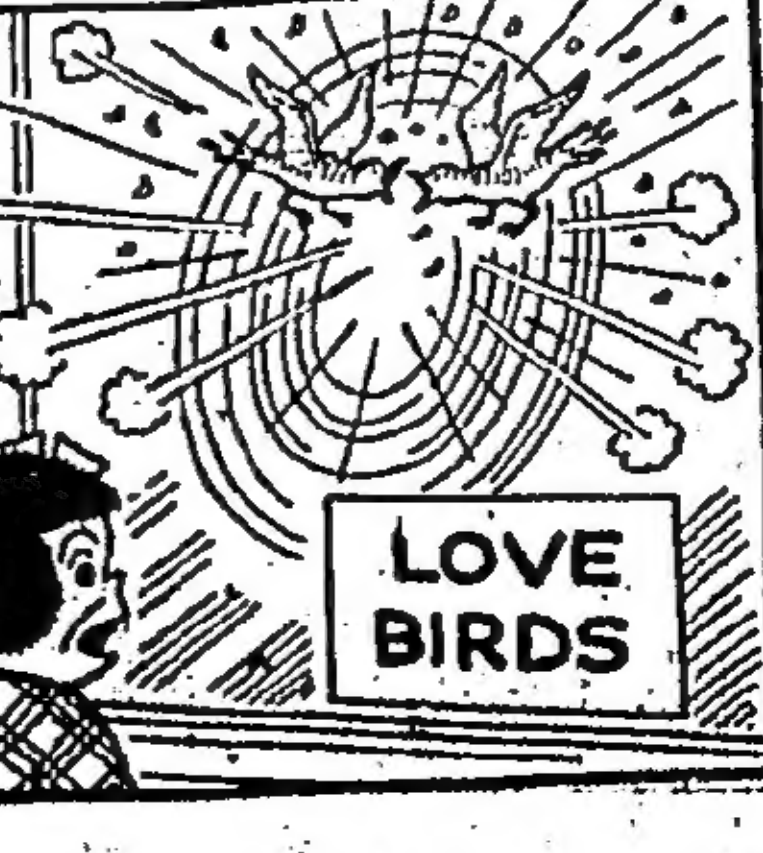
When they talk about a cold war they mean a cold war. Russian scientists have not only discovered how to bypass the east wind round Moscow and Leningrad so that it hits Britain with greater velocity, they have also harnessed millions of whales to drag icebergs towards the British Isles, leaving their northern ports ice free.

If Sir Waldron doesn't believe me, what about the 100 refugee whales who committed suicide on a Scottish coast rather than live a life of slavery? And what about the polar bear, suffering from sunstroke, who piloted his own aircraft through the Iron Curtain and crash landed at London Airport?

It's no use semi-official circles saying he's in love with Brumas's mother. Will M.L.S. deny that he has given valuable information? If they don't want to look silly, they'd better not.

(London Express Service)

NANCY Feathered Frenzies



COMMONWEALTH TALKS OPEN WITH A BANG!

Sydney delegates deny foundering over question of Asia aid

BRITAIN NOT PUTTING ON THE BRAKE

London, May 16. — A Treasury spokesman tonight declared that Britain realised fully the urgency of aid for South-East Asia and was as "anxious as anyone to make a practical contribution without delay."

He was clarifying the position of the British Government in view of reports that there was a split between the Commonwealth countries over aid to South-East Asia at the conference now sitting in Sydney, Australia.

Britain deplored any suggestion that she was putting the brake on proposals by Australia or other Commonwealth countries which contemplated immediate aid, he said.

For a considerable time the problem of helping South-East Asia has been a primary concern of the British Government which had, in fact, made substantial contributions toward economic relief since the war.

Sometimes the total amount of money spent in the area in that period was put as high as £250,000,000.

THE BEST WAY

While its details were not announced, Lord Macdonald said he thought that the best way of tackling the problem would be for the countries in South-East Asia themselves to survey their requirements and set carefully estimated costs.

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W.H.O. Expel Byelo—Russia

Geneva, May 16.—The United Nations World Health Organization today voted to expel Byelo-Russia from the 18-nation Executive Board.

The term of office of Byelo-Russia, one of the constituent republics of U.S.S.R., had one more year to run. But she had not attended Board meetings since the war and Russia and the Ukraine announced withdrawal from the W.H.O. in February, 1949.

Summing up the debate today on whether or not a substitute for Byelo-Russia should be found, Binjamin Amrit Keur, Indian Minister of Health, and President of the Organization, pleaded for moderation.

"The Secretary-General of the United Nations is at present in Moscow," he said. "He is trying to lift the veil of distrust and suspicion that is shadowing the world today. I would not like our Organization to do anything that would not strengthen his hand."

Judge called "a gangster"

Berlin, May 16.—Gerhart Eisler, chief of the Communist-dominated East German States Information Office, said today that the American imprisonment of six East German People's Police would have "bitter results."

Eisler called Judge John Sabe a "gangster" for ruling that East German police "riot units" were paramilitary formations.—United Press.

SEGREGATION BANNED

Washington, May 16.—The Congress of Industrial Organizations has banned all Negro-White segregation in the South of the United States or elsewhere on properties owned or leased by the applies to offices, drinking fountains, washrooms, meeting places and other facilities.

Issuing the directive the CIO's General Counsel, Mr. Arthur J. Goldberg, challenged any State or local "statute or ordinance" which would require the CIO to practice segregation.—Reuter.

Sydney, May 16. — One by one — almost in procession — delegates to the Commonwealth South-East Asia Conference today denied reports that it threatened to found on the question of immediate or long-range aid.

First, Ceylon's chief delegate, Mr. J. R. Jayawardene, said that there was "no possibility" that the conference would break down. Then Britain's and Canada's delegation heads, the Paymaster-General, Lord Macdonald, and the Dominion's Fisheries Minister, Mr. Robert W. Mayhew, said that differences of opinion were inevitable early in a conference.

Mr. Mayhew said that he was confident that the conference, if left to itself, would evolve "a useful and workable plan" by the end of the week.

According to the reports, only Australia, Ceylon and Pakistan were in favour of immediate aid while India, Britain, Canada, and New Zealand wanted a "long-range" plan.

Lord Macdonald told Reuter today that it was not a question of "long and short terms" but of a "continuous policy of economic development which begins today and possibly extends over years."

"Canada's viewpoint is that we should begin with a little plan, gradually developing into a bigger plan," Mr. Mayhew said.

Britain was today circulating her plan for bolstering the South-East Asian countries against Communism.

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"Some of them have greater resources than Canada herself," he said. "What is needed are ways and means to develop these resources."

He believed that India, Pakistan and Ceylon had good, stable Governments and vast natural resources.

Given reasonable assistance, they would soon be in a position of great strength and economic independence.

"If these countries are encouraged to develop their own way, it will be of immense benefit to the whole area and any project devised toward that end should be given the maximum assistance possible."

Mr. Jayawardene, who had said that only Ceylon, Australia

TECHNICAL AID

"We have favourable Sterling and dollar balances. We are earning more dollars than we are spending, and we have been the only Dominion contributor to the dollar pool since it was created in 1948," he said.

Ceylon required technical assistance for her development projects, he added.

One delegate this morning accused the British Treasury of trying to "apply the brakes."

Lord Macdonald replied, "Officials of the Treasury are always conservative; they regard themselves as stewards of the nation's funds. But it is the policy of the United Kingdom Government, and not the policy of the Treasury, that matters."

Despite the behind-the-scenes reports of sharply divergent views, the official communiqué at the end of the second day said, "A general discussion of Governmental proposals and points of general agreement" was concluded for tomorrow.

Delegates had examined the "scope and extent to which technical assistance," apart from that now being given, could be made available.—Reuter.

Sir Owen Dixon's Movements

Lake Success, May 16.—Sir Owen Dixon, United Nations Mediator in the India-Pakistan dispute over Kashmir, will leave next Tuesday to take up his duties on the spot, the United Nations announced today.

En route to Kashmir, the trouble spot, Sir Owen will confer with Indian and Pakistani officials in New Delhi and Karachi. He will fly first to London.—United Press.

Just Another Fantasy

Washington, May 16.—A State Department official said today that Russia's claim that Iran was using United States exports to take aerial photographs along the Iran-Soviet frontier was "just another fantastic Soviet story with no basis in fact."—Reuter.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"But, mom, I eat very little when George takes me out—I wouldn't want him to think he'd be marrying a glutton!"

Dedication At Dachau



A crowd of former KX prisoners-leading personalities of the State and Church and foreign deputies were present for the laying of the foundation-stone of the KX Honour Cemetery at the Leiten near Dachau.

Pilot shot dead

Jakarta, May 16.—An Australian pilot of Indonesian Airways, John Roderick, who was shot in the back by an Indonesian soldier last Thursday, died today in hospital here a quarter of an hour after his wife reached his side.—United Press.

Nurse says, "Hair pulled by Prince"

Romney, May 16.—A nurse today accused Prince Monazam Jah, younger son of the Nizam of Hyderabad, of having "insulted and assaulted her, causing hurt" when she asked him to pay her fees for attending his wife's confinement.

The nurse, Miss Edna Thompson, told the City Magistrate's Court that the Prince "pulled my hair, used filthy language and threw me out" when she asked him to settle the bills.

The Magistrate postponed the hearing to ascertain if he had jurisdiction over the case.

Prince Monazam Jah's father was reported to be the world's richest man until India took over his Princely State of Hyderabad.—Reuter.

Farouk Acts Against Sister

Cairo, May 16.—King Farouk tonight issued a Royal decree depriving his youngest sister, 18-year-old Princess Fatima, of her title rights and privileges.

A few hours earlier the Egyptian Council had, after a three-hour session, ordered the Princess to part from her month-old commoner husband, with whom she is now living in San Francisco.—Reuter.

Swiss Representative In Peking

San Francisco, May 16.—The arrival in Peking of the Swiss Charge D'affaires ad interim, Mr. Sven C. Stiner, was reported by the Peking Radio.

Mr. Stiner arrived in the Chinese Communist capital today "to carry on talks for the establishment of diplomatic relations," the broadcast said. He was welcomed at the station by a protocol official of the Chinese Communist Foreign Ministry.—United Press.

Radio Hongkong

H.K.T. 2.00 "Hong Kong Calling"—Programme Summary: 6. "Take it from Here" with Nicholas, Dick Bentley and Jimmy Edwards (London Relay): 6.30. Strimling's: 6.40. At the Piano: 6.45. "Lucky Dip": 6.50. Variety Request Programme: 7.00. News and News Analysis (London Relay): 7.15. "The Orchestra of the World": 7.30. "The English Novel": "Sir Walter Scott" by Lord David Cecil (London Relay): 7.45. "From the Editor's Desk": 7.50. Weather Report: 8.15. A Drama: 8.30. The French Murder Trial by John Gough (London Relay): 8.45. Concert: 9.00. "Recital": 9.15. "By Cortot (Piano) Thibaud (Violin)": 9.30. "Sol. Light and Sweet Music": 10.15. Radio News Round (London Relay): 11.15. Weather Report: 11.30. News: 11.45. "Recorded Relay": God Save the King: 11.50. Close Down.

MARATHON SPEECH ON S.W. AFRICA

The Hague, May 16. — The United Nations launched a two-day marathon speech on the International Court of Justice here today to seek a ruling on the disputed status of South-West Africa.

Dr. Ivan Kerno, Czechoslovak Assistant Secretary-General of the United Nations, was asking the Court's 15 judges for their guidance on the future of the mandated territory and the rights of South Africa over this former German colony.

All today and tomorrow the Court will hear him explain why the General Assembly has asked for advice on what he himself described today as "beyond doubt one of the most difficult and most debated questions with which this Court and its predecessor have had to deal."

He was asking four main questions. These were: (1) What are the international obligations of the South African Government to the former mandated territory? (2) Has South Africa the right to modify its international status? (3) If not, who has? (4) Is South-West Africa subject to the provisions of the United Nations Charter laying down the fundamental principles of the international trusteeship system?

An absorbed listener from the back of the Court was the Reverend Michael Scott, British missionary who has vigorously championed the case of the South-Western Herero tribesmen before the Trusteeship Council of the United Nations.

S. AFRICA'S ATTITUDE

South Africa, which has consistently denied that the South-West comes under the provision of the trusteeship system, decided two years ago to suspend annual reports on its administration to the United Nations. Dr. Kerno pointed out today that the territory had recently been asked to be admitted to the Union as a fifth province.

South Africa denied, he said, that a mandatory power was obliged to change such a territory into a trust territory and had repeated that it would not draw up a trust agreement until the freely expressed will of both European and native populations had been ascertained.

Dr. Kerno traced the history of the discussions in succeeding sessions of the General Assembly, up to the stage at which the Trusteeship Committee agreed to hear the Rev. Michael Scott on the Herero tribe as a result of which the South African delegation withdrew from the Committee discussions.

The legal situation had then become so complicated that the Assembly decided to refer the whole question to the International Court.—Reuter.

"New evidence" for Petain trial

Paris, May 16.—Counsel for Marshal Henri Philippe Petain asked today that his conviction on treason charges be set aside on the basis of new evidence.

ATLANTIC PACT TALKS

(Continued from Page 1)

Many of the Foreign Ministers tonight hurriedly consulted their Governments.

The American proposals mark the end of the old idea of each Power being self-sufficient in the military field.

It brought into effect each nation would have well-defined responsibilities on which to concentrate as its contribution to the general defence.

But diplomatic circles here put forward the view tonight that no more organizational changes in the Atlantic Pact structure could overcome the fundamental problem worrying the European members.

This problem is whether the defence preparations considered necessary will endanger the attempts of individual countries to get on their feet economically before Marshall Aid ends in 1952.

HARD-HITTING

From other conference sources tonight it was learned that the American Secretary of State Mr. Acheson played a dominant part in today's discussions.

"At times he was rather hard-hitting," these sources said, adding that today's exchange had been at times lively.

Very few of the Ministers, it was reported, gave way to the tendency to talk about their own special problems.

The debate on the defence report is understood to have covered the Committee's assessment in terms of men, equipment and time—and the question of financing these requirements.

MAIN PROBLEMS

The main lines of the problems on defence facing the Ministers are regarded as fairly clear. They are as follows: (1) What are the estimated minimum funds required? (2) How are these to be raised, and what is to be the contribution of each Power? (3) How can the existing pattern of separate national armed forces be progressively rationalized so as to avoid the duplication of money and effort?

(4) How are the commitments of member Powers in the Atlantic area to be balanced in relation to their other military commitments—for instance, overseas and especially in Southeast Asia?

The Ministers yesterday discussed the Moscow visit of Mr. Trygve Lie, Secretary-General of the United Nations, it was learned tonight.

They exchanged views on the attitude which should be adopted if his visit coincided with a renewed Russian proposal for direct talks between the Soviet and Western Powers.—Reuter.

NEW FACTS

Born announced last month that he would ask for revision of the French verdict on the trial of a new fact, including some in the memoirs of Admiral William Leahy, American Ambassador to Vichy.—United Press.

Sentenced For Spying

Tel-Aviv, May 16.—A 30-year-old Jew, Isaac Shama, and a 65-year-old Arab, Mohammed El Kader, were today sentenced to three and a half and three years' imprisonment respectively for spying for the Egyptians.

The trial was held in secret. Both were charged with passing maps, military information and documents to the Egyptian army at Gaza during the fighting between the Jews and the Arabs.—Reuter.



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PRESS PHOTOGRAPHS

Copies of photographs taken by the South China Morning Post and Hong Kong Telegraph Staff Photographers are on view in the Morning Post Building.

ORDERS BOOKED.

Merchants in Siam are U.S. spies

San Francisco, May 16.—Peking Radio tonight alleged that agents of the "American espionage organization in Asia" had been sent into Siam in the guise of merchants.

The radio said that this was reported by the Singapore Chinese daily newspaper Nan China Jit Pao on April 13, quoting a Siamese paper.

"These agents have established contact with political circles and ex-Army officers in Siam. Their mission is to spy on the activities of progressive forces and seek out confidential information about the country," the broadcast said.—Reuter.

POSTAL UNION WALK-OUT

Montreux, May 16.—The Russian and Czech delegates to the 19-nation Executive Committee of the World Postal Union, which is holding its annual meeting here, have walked out, it is announced today.

The Executive Committee announced that a resolution was passed declaring that the sole Chinese representative to be admitted to the Committee was the delegate of the "Popular Republic of China," but that the delegates of the USSR and Czechoslovakia declared that this solution was sufficiently definite since its effect was limited only to the present meetings.—Reuter.

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County Cricket

WARWICKSHIRE REMAINS AT THE HEAD OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE

GOLF

More Upsets In British

Women's Open

Newcastle, County Down, Northern Ireland, May 16.—A new Champion of British women's golf may be crowned on Thursday as Miss Frances Stephens, the holder, was beaten in a 19-holes battle today in the fourth round on the Royal County Down Course here.

Her conqueror was Miss Elizabeth Price, runner-up three years ago for the English Championship, and who this morning put out Miss Grace Lennox, the American Curtis Cup player, in the third round.

Mrs. A. M. Holm, of Scotland, twice winner of the title, is the only ex-Champion remaining and she meets Miss Price in the quarter-final.

INTERNATIONAL PRIZES
Each of the matches in that round will be an international battle with France's two representatives, the Vicomtesse de St. Saver and Mme. Blinche opposed respectively to Miss Dot Kelly, of the United States, and Miss J. Perry, of Australia. Mrs. Holm meeting Miss Price and another Anglo-Scott clash between Miss Jean Baggot and Mrs. G. Valentine.

The defeat of Miss Lennox was in the nature of a surprise as she was being tipped as a likely new Champion. It was a small-like match, however, and on one occasion the American casually walked off the playing part of the course, an incident which might have led to disqualification.

Her defeat averted this step and officials later said that they were taking no further action. She herself admitted that she did not play well enough to justify winning. It was certainly a great day for Miss Price, who will play against Miss Curtis Cup recognition for these two victories alone.—*Reuter.*

FA COUNCIL MEETING

Need For A Hongkong AAA Stressed

"We must have an Amateur Athletic Association in Hongkong if we are going to take our place in world sport," the Chairman of the Football Association Council, Mr. J. Skinner, said at a meeting of the Council yesterday.

"It will benefit sport in every way in Hongkong," said Mr. Skinner. "We've got to make a start some time, and I feel this is the body to show the lead."

"We require to circulate all sporting clubs and ask them to attend a meeting and state objects," Mr. Skinner said. A Swedish team—probably Djurgardens, seventh place-getters in Swedish first division—will play in Hongkong on December 10.

Visits from Norwegian and New Zealand teams are still in the offing, and Dulwich Hamlet (U.K.) team has written asking if the Hongkong offer to play here is serious.

The meeting adopted a proposed training scheme for youngsters after Mr. Skinner outlined it.

London, May 16.—Warwickshire, although having no County match, remained at the head of the Championship table with 24 points after the series which ended today.

Northamptonshire, beaten by Derbyshire, gained four points for a first innings lead to bring them level with Surrey, who did not have a County game, in second place. Each has 16 points.

Six Counties, each with 12 points, come next in the table. They are Leicestershire, Sussex, Lancashire, Derbyshire, Essex and Middlesex.

Derbyshire, left to get 227 in 200 minutes, got the runs just on time for the loss of four wickets.

They were mainly indebted for their victory to A.C. Revell, who scored a stylish 100 not out.

L. Livingston, who captained the Commonwealth team in India during the winter, scored a rapid 70 for Northants.

Leslie Jackson, who took four wickets for 58 runs for Derbyshire, lifted the ball dangerously and Nutter had to have three stitches for a jaw injury.

MIDDLESEX SCORE
Middlesex gained their first points when they defeated Somerset in extra time.

Jack Holberton and Bill Edrich led the foundation of their victory with a second wicket partnership of 69 in 50 minutes and Holberton went on to make 74 not out.

Ed Angel, in the best performance of his career, scored 74 in 45 minutes for Somerset and made 70 out of 101 in an hour and three-quarters.

Gloucestershire were set to 254 in 200 minutes for Somerset and, going all out for the runs, were eight behind with only one wicket standing when the match came to an exciting close.

Martin Young made 75 for Gloucestershire, his best score in County cricket, and with J. K. Grayson he added 74 for the fifth wicket in 40 minutes.

Ray Dovey, bowling steadily, batted Gloucestershire's effort by taking the last five wickets to fall for 32 runs.

DOUBLE CENTURY
Don Smith, 26-year-old Sussex left-hander, scored 200 not out to get his maiden century against Nottinghamshire.

Smith hit three sixes and 20 fours in five and a half hours at the wicket.

The game petered out in a tame draw after James Cornford had caused a flutter by taking three Nottingham wickets for 15 runs in 20 overs.

AMATEUR BATSMEN IMPRESS
London, May 16.—The excellent form shown by amateur batsmen, in spite of the prevalent pessimism over the future of amateurs in first-class cricket, has been one of the most encouraging features of the first rain-spilt week of the cricket season.

Herbald Simpson, the Nottinghamshire amateur and former policeman, with a 100 off the Yorkshire bowlers for the MCC and 230 not out for his County against Glamorgan, has gained most of the limelight.

POSES A PROBLEM
A continuation of this form by the stylish Simpson will pose the selectors with a problem. Last year Simpson gained a place in England's team at No. 5 and scored a century against New Zealand at Old Trafford in the Fifth Test.

West Indians Held To A Draw By Surrey

London, May 16.—The West Indies were surprised by the stubborn resistance Surrey offered on the last day at Kennington Oval and instead of winning the match comfortably the tourists had to be satisfied with a draw.

After declaring at 537 runs for five wickets, the West Indies dismissed the County for 193 and forced them to follow on. Surrey held out and scored 391 in their second innings, leaving time for only two overs to be bowled in the West Indies' second innings, in which time they scored 14 runs for one wicket.

Fishlock and Barton inspired Surrey to save the game. They added 91 in a fourth wicket stand and Fishlock, who cut and drove superbly, hit the first run against the tourists.

His 110 occupied three hours and 35 minutes and included 15 fours.

UNFORTUNATE
Barton was unfortunate to be leg-before when only one short of his century. He batted four hours and hit only five fours. The last wicket pair, McMahon and Kirby, held out over an hour and added 53 runs to force a draw.

At the interval Surrey still needed 95 to make the West Indians bat again. The West Indies appeared to be in sight of victory shortly after lunch, when Gomez sent back Laker leg-before and had Alec Bedser well caught by Testrail on the square leg boundary to make seven wickets down for 258.

Then Surridge joined Barton, who had been batting well, and the pair added 61 for the eighth wicket before being separated.

The West Indies began returning the ball wildly from the field in their exuberance and one generous overthrow by Testrail when Surridge went for a second run gave the batsman six for the stroke.

Barton crept up to 89 and then fell leg-before to Worrell.

FINAL SCORES

WEST INDIES

1st Innings

537 for five declared.

SURREY

1st Innings

193

SURREY

2nd Innings

391

1st Innings

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2nd Innings

391

Field Of Six For Yorkshire Cup

London, May 16.—A select field of six will face the starters for the Yorkshire Cup, to be run over two miles, at York tomorrow afternoon.

The race is to start at 2.30 p.m. GMT and the probable starters, with jockeys, are:

Woodburn (Edgar Britt), Vic Day (E. C. Elliott), Domino (J. Caldwell), Miraculous Atom (W. Nevett), Charvel (W. Johnston) and Lone Eagle (W. H. Carr).—*Reuter.*

At Oxford: Oxford University beat Warwickshire by eight wickets. Warwickshire 89 and 335 (Gardiner 58, Cranmer 68, Kadar 58, R. Divecha, right-arm medium, six for 81). Oxford 349 and 78 for two.

At Bristol: Gloucestershire drew with Kent. Kent 193 and 388 for nine declared (Ames 119, Todd 75, Evans 68, Lane and eight fours, before falling caught off Divecha. Kadar hit 53, but except for one over in which he hit a six and a four, was unusually quiet.

At Manchester: Lancashire drew with Hampshire. Hampshire 296 and 252 for five declared (Rogers 64, Arnold 89). Lancashire 442 for nine declared and did not bat a second time.

At Leeds: Middlesex beat Somerset by eight wickets. Somerset 214 and 346 (Gimblett 84, Angell 74, Irish 70). Middlesex 425 for nine declared and 139 for two (Robertson not out 74).

At Worcester: Worcestershire drew with Leicestershire. Worcestershire 339 for nine declared and 150 for four (Kenyon not out 100). Leicestershire 150 and 429 for seven declared (Lester 128, Jackson 100, Chapman 71).

At Nottingham: Nottinghamshire drew with Sussex. Sussex 325 for nine declared and 369 for three declared (Smith not out 206, James Langridge not out 103). Nottinghamshire 276 for two declared and 58 for three.

At Derby: Derbyshire beat Northamptonshire by six wickets. Northamptonshire 325 and 154 (Livingston 76, Rhodes three for 21). Derbyshire 253 and 227 for four (Revell not out 108).—*Reuter.*



A wash-and-brush-up moment with former chain-smoking American heavyweight boxer Lee Savold at his London Hotel.

And the picture before him? Could it be...? It could—Bruce Woodcock, taken after his fight with Freddie Mills.

Savold, 34 years old, arrived at Southampton recently in the Queen Elizabeth. He meets Woodcock, for the World's Heavyweight Championship, on June 6 at the White City.

When last they met, in December, 1948, Bruce won on a disqualification. —*Express.*

There's No Business Like The Boxing Business SAYS ALAN HOBY

"There's no business like show business," they say—and there's no business like the boxing business either. If you don't believe me, read this.

When Britain's Bruce Woodcock (29) and the U.S.A.'s Lee Savold (34) fight for the World Heavyweight Championship at White City on June 6 they will share more than £32,000 between them.

Thirty-seven newspapermen from the States are coming over to report the most built-up and ballyhooed contest of the mid-century.

Also present will be American boxing's "Big Three"—Colonel Eddie Egan (ex-Oxford Rhodes Scholar and chairman of the New York State Athletic Commission); Abe Green (president of the U.S. National Boxing Association); and James Norris (president of the New York International Boxing Club).

Ex-champion Joe Louis will publicly stunt, Bill Daly probably be there as well, not to mention a welter of film and stage stars.

Not bad for two men who a few years ago were written-off as "diesie" "nobodies," finished, washed-up.

Not bad either when you consider that since they last fought nearly 18 months ago Woodcock has had exactly two fights while Savold, apart from his "secret" fight, hasn't fought at all.

Most of you know, of course, the Woodcock story—the story of a £3 a week locomotive engineer who rose through setbacks and near-blunders into the super-tax class.

After the war the Yankee critics sourly dismissed him as "finished."

DOZEN CIGARS A DAY
For one thing he was fat. How he was fat! Let Lee tell you: "Believe it or not, but I weighed 20 stones. I was a chain-smoker. I thought nothing of drinking half a dozen bottles of beer a night and smoking a dozen or so cigars."

But, like Woodcock, Savold showed courage and will-power on the road back. He took control of himself.

Within three months, by strict dieting and training, Savold shed more than seven stone, plummeting to 13st. 7lb.

When I met him again in the lounge of the Queen Elizabeth last week he was down to 14st. 1lb. He expects to step into the ring at 13st. 8lb.

He's a great, loopy, fat man still following the simple diet he began more than four years ago. He doesn't eat butter, potatoes, rice or sugar.

He drinks tea, but no milk. The only bread he touches is one slice of wholemeal bread three times a day. Fried food are out. And no drinking or smoking!

WAY TO HEALTH
In his slow, quiet way Savold says: "Plenty of salads, fruit juice, and exercise—I've been doing 12 miles walking and mountain-climbing a day—that's my one-way ticket to health."

Neither Savold nor Woodcock is a great heavy by Johnson-Dempsey-Louis standards, but, make no mistake, next month's battle is for the world title.

Last week the only other outstanding contender—the Negro Ezzard Charles—was ordered to rest for at least three months after a medical examination.

As Promoter Jack Solomons puts it: "For 50 years we have had to do what the Americans say. Today the heavyweight scene has shifted back to Britain. I intend to keep it here."

THAT 'SECRET' FIGHT
As for the report that Savold's "secret" fight in Patterson, New Jersey, recently was just a

LEAGUE TENNIS

South China beat Kowloon CC, 6-1, in the Men's "A" Division of the Tennis League yesterday.

In Kowloon and David Tai (SCCA) beat Col. J. W. Spence and F. Zimmers 7-5; beat C. Fincher and T. E. Baker 6-1; beat S. A. Judah and C. Oung 6-0.

Edwin Tsai and Alex drew with Spence and Zimmers 6-6; beat Fincher and Baker 7-5; beat Judah and Oua 6-3.

The match between HKCC and University was postponed.

LADIES "A" DIVISION
KCC 6, CRC 3

Mrs. M. Chow and Mrs. Foward (KCC) lost to Mrs. Litton and Miss Lo 3-6; beat Mrs. Law and Mrs. Jones 6-2; beat Mrs. O'Flynn and Miss Durt 6-0.

Mrs. Ward and Miss Bonham lost to Mrs. Litton and Miss Lo 3-6; beat Mrs. Law and Mrs. Jones 6-2; beat Mrs. O'Flynn and Miss Durt 6-0.

Mrs. Schiele and Mrs. Tamworth lost to Mrs. Litton and Miss Lo 3-6; beat Mrs. Law and Mrs. Jones 6-2; beat Mrs. O'Flynn and Miss Durt 6-0.

Colony Chess Championship
The first match in the Colony Chess Championship was played at the Peninsula Hotel yesterday evening when L. Schure beat P. K. Prokopov in a French Defence that went to 32 moves.

Schure had the white pieces. The other game on the evening's programme—Karel Weiss (Serge Chitkey)—was postponed.

W. Borsodi had a bye and H. Klinghardt has withdrawn from the tournament owing to illness.

Tomorrow evening's games are Prokopov v Weiss and Borsodi v Schure. The tournament is of a single round.

SMITH SHIELD
The Smith Shield Tournament has started with seven participants. M. Feldman being admitted in a last-minute Committee decision. First round results were:

Ed. C. R. Caswell beat M. Feldman and R. W. Carter beat J. W. Remedios. A. Archangelaky had a bye.

Hockey Results

Results of the International hockey matches played yesterday were:

Portugal 4, Pakistan 1; Ireland 7, Scotland 1; England 5, Wales 2.

